IOWA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM[495]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code sections 97B.4 and 97B.15, the Iowa Public Employees' Retirement System (IPERS) hereby amends Chapter 6, "Covered Wages," Chapter 14, "Death Benefits and Beneficiaries," and Chapter 16, "Qualified Domestic Relations Orders and Other Assignments," Iowa Administrative Code.

These amendments help IPERS better conform to IRS plan qualification requirements; help IPERS administer the new beneficiary revocation law at Iowa Code Supplement section 598.20B with minimum burden and expense; and clarify IPERS' procedures for naming of successor alternate payees and the paying of death benefits to beneficiaries of divorced members.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on July 2, 2008, as **ARC 6917B**. A public hearing was held on July 22, 2008. No one attended the public hearing, and no written comments were received. These amendments are identical to those published under Notice.

There are no waiver provisions included in the amendments.

These amendments are intended to implement Iowa Code sections 97B.4 and 97B.15.

These amendments will become effective October 1, 2008.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Pursuant to recommendation of the Administrative Rules Review Committee published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin, September 10, 1986, the text of these amendments [amendments to Chs 6, 14, 16] is being omitted. These amendments are identical to those published under Notice as **ARC 6917B**, IAB 7/2/08.

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